

New York.

21 West 20<sup>th</sup> St.

Dec. 17. 1889.

Dear Sir.

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possession a considerable  
collection of ancient  
Greek, Roman and  
modern coins. I am  
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that many of them are  
of some value while

others may be comparatively  
worthless.

I have been informed  
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you is to call your  
attention to this collection,  
and at the same time inform  
you that the whole quantity  
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for a reasonable price.

I should be obliged to send  
an expert to examine I  
shall arrange to receive  
him whenever he may  
signify his intention of  
calling upon me.

Sincerely,  
Rush C. Watkins.

Mr. Fox.  
Supr. of Mint.  
Philadelphia.  
Pa.

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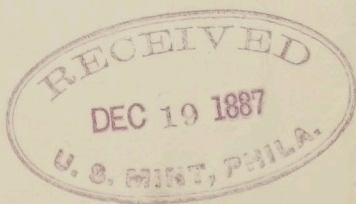
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Dec. 17. 1887

Rush C. Hawkins

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721 Broadway N.Y.

R.C.

"Mr. Heideck  
answer this"

[Letter One:]

[Abstract:] Wants to sell a collection of Ancient Greek, Roman & Modern Coins,

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December 17, 1887

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I have been informed that the government is making a collection for the mint, and my object in writing to you is to call your attention to this collection, and at the same time inform you that the whole many portion of it can be had for a reasonable price.

Should you desire to send an expert to examine I shall arrange to receive him whenever he may signify his intention of calling for me.

Courteously,  
Rush C. Hawkins

Mr. Fox.  
Supt. of Mint  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Received Dec 19 1887  
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[Letter Two:]

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[Noted in margins:] "Mr Hickock Answer this"